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SUBJ: IRAQ BUYS GERMAN TRUCKS

REF: STUTTGART'S 0879

DAIMLER-BENZ, STUTTGART, HAS RECEIVED ORDER FROM IRAQ GOVERNMENT FOR 10,000 MEDIUM TO HEAVY TRUCKS OF 13 TO 19 TONS VALUED AT ALMOST DM 1 BILLION, TO BE DELIVERED IN 1975. DAIMLER-BENZ ANNUAL PRODUCTION IN 1974 OF THIS CATEGROY OF TRUCKS WILL BE 60,000 TO 70,000 UNITS. IN VIEW OF SIZE OF ORDER AS COMPARED TO CAPACITY, DAIMLER-BENZ WILL BE ABLE TO FINANCE ORDER ITSELF. TRUCKS WILL BE USED FOR LONG-DISTANCE TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER PROJECTS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF IRAQI INFRA-STRUCTURE.

THIS IS SECOND RECENT LARGE-SCALE FOREIGN ORDER FOR A GERMAN TRUCK MANUFACTURER. MAGIRUS-DEUTZ OF KLOECKNER HUMBOLDT-DEUTZ AG BOOKED A SOVIET ORDER OF 9,000 HEAVY

TRUCKS LAST WEEK (SEE REFTTEL). KENKINS

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